

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

## DRAFT PERMIT FOR MUNITIONS TREATMENT RANGE BARRY GOLDWATER RANGE - WEST MARINE CORPS AIR STATION YUMA

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) hereby gives notice of its intent to renew the hazardous waste permit held by Marine Corps Air Station Yuma. The permit allows Marine Corps Air Station Yuma to continue to treat discarded munitions, which are considered reactive and ignitable hazardous wastes, at the Munitions Treatment Range (MTR) facility located on the western segment of the Barry M. Goldwater Range (see Figure). The MTR facility is currently operating pursuant to Arizona Administrative Code (A.A.C.) Title 18, Chapter 8 (40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 264). This notice commences a 45-day public comment period from April 26, 2015 to June 11, 2015.

All data submitted by Marine Corps Air Station Yuma is available as part of an administrative record for the draft permit. A copy of the draft permit can be viewed at the Yuma County Library District – Main Branch, 2951 S. 21<sup>st</sup> Drive, Yuma, Arizona 85364 on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.; and on Friday and Saturday from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. The library is closed on Sundays. A copy of the entire administrative record is available at the ADEQ Phoenix office from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday – Friday (excluding state holidays). To arrange an appointment to review this record at ADEQ, contact the <u>ADEQ Records</u> Center at (602) 771-4380 or email recordscenter@azdeq.gov.

Copies of the fact sheet for this permit action are available by contacting ADEQ at the agency contact below. A copy will also be available by visiting the ADEQ webpage at: <a href="http://www.azdeq.gov/environ/waste/hazwaste/bmgrw.html">http://www.azdeq.gov/environ/waste/hazwaste/bmgrw.html</a>.

ADEQ invites all interested persons to submit written comments concerning the draft permit. All comments must be submitted to ADEQ by the close of the public comment period, June 11, 2015. Submit your comments to:

Anthony Leverock, Manager ADEQ – Permits and Plan Review Unit 1110 West Washington Street Phoenix, AZ 85007 Phone: (602) 771-4160;

toll free at (800) 234-5677, ext: 7714160

email: acl@azdeq.gov

In addition to submitting public comment, any person may request the ADEQ Director to schedule a public hearing. Written requests for a public hearing must be submitted to ADEQ by not later than June 11, 2015, and must state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. The Director will hold such a hearing if: 1) he finds, on the basis of requests, a significant degree of public interest in the draft permit, or 2) he finds that the hearing might clarify one or more issues involved in the permit decision, or 3) a formal written notice of opposition to the draft permit is received within the comment period.

If you would like a copy of the facility fact sheet or wish to be put on a mailing list for permit activity, you can make this request to the ADEQ contact person listed above. Please bring this notice to the attention of anybody who might be interested in this matter.

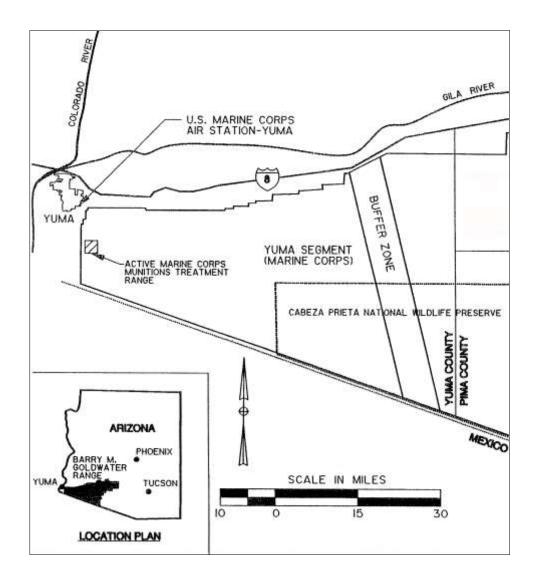


Figure – Site Location

